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Sports Day Over. Good Crowds, Good Program, Good Time

Beautiful weather, co-operation and a spirit of optimism all helped to make the Sports Day of 1921 one of the best that Montorites have enjoyed.

Of course the main point of attraction was the Baseball and while the final outcome of the games was never doubted, yet it was expected that Eye Hill, assisted by some Provost players, would have put up a better game than they did. However, there was no beefing, and the games went off without a hitch. The Monitor Citizens Band, although their band wagon was unfinished, discoursed sweet music throughout the afternoon and as usual, filled the bill to completion. The horse races foot races, etc etc, were all handled with thoroughness and dispatch, and practically every item on a long and interesting program was pulled off without a hitch.

The Grey Ghost, famous bucking horse from the north, was on hand for the bucking contest, but for some unaccountable reason, was not ridden. One rider, Orr of Medicine Hat, was on hand to try, but whether the horse was afraid of the man or the man afraid of the horse, we wot not, but the horse wasn't ridden. However, Orr climbed a couple of bad ones, and proved without doubt that he could surely stick in the saddle under most trying circumstances. On enquiry, we found the Grey Ghost had a split hoof, and perhaps this had something to do with the fact that he wasn't ridden.

It was a big disappointment to most of us, that the much advertised and promised aeroplanes did not arrive. We wish to inform our readers that this is not the fault of the committee. Two wires were sent them the day before (Tuesday) reminding them of their promise to come, and so far, they have not had the usual courtesy reply. Every effort was used to get them here, even to guaranteeing the amount they stipulated. The picture-show people failed to materialise for reasons best known to themselves.

The dance, in the evening, with music by the Monitor Orchestra, was a fitting climax to a perfect day. The big Hall was crowded to the doors and the floor filled for every dance.

The following gentlemen filled the arduous positions on the different committees.

Chairman. J. C. Matheson.
Secretary. L. Munro.

Executive. J. H. McGirr, L. O. Gould, L. E. Larder, G. Lucas, J. C. Matheson.

Sports. M. A. Van Horn, L. E. Larder, E. Davidge, W. F. Hargrove, L. O. Gould, G. Lucas.

Refreshments. T. H. Ferguson, H. L. Crisp, F. McGirr.

Grounds. N. Craig, R. Fawcett, R. Cramer, W. Schroer.
Finance. P. Moth, Jas. Taylor.
Music. F. M. Tarr, F. Hanson.
Dance. P. Moth, T. Patteson.
Advertising. H. A. Warner, L. E. Larder, L. O. Gould.

Each of the above men worked together for the common point, and we venture to state that there was nothing left undone, that could be done to make the day the success that it was.

Frenchie lasts 4 Rounds

So Carpenter went out by the Kayo route, and all the fancy talk about his "private" punch amounted to nothing.

The Pool room was pretty full during the time the Bulletins received over the C.P.R., were received. Reading from these it was apparent that Carpenter had no chance from the beginning, as he acted on the defensive from the gong. Four rounds was sufficient to put Carpenter to sleep, and the best man won. Even at that, we suppose the same excuse will be forthcoming "If Carpenter had done this" or "If I had to do it over again", etc. etc. ad lib.

Neural Valley Grand Stampede, July 25-26

Bills are out announcing the Big Stampede to be held at the Gap this year on July 25 and 26th. According to advices from Mr. Bryan, the secretary, this year's program promises to be bigger and better than ever, and it is estimated that a record attendance will be on hand. Larger bills will be printed shortly, giving full details—watch for them.

Kirriemuir Sports

Are on July 15th

The Womens Institute of Kirriemuir have arranged for a Sports Day to be held July 15th. According to the bills, the Monitor Orchestra will be on hand, and, we understand, a real ball game has been arranged to take place during the day, besides other sports. We hope as many as possible from Monitor will go down to Kirrie on that day—a fine time is guaranteed.

Mr. C. C. Connah, Dominion Meteorological Observer, reports that the rainfall in the district during April, May and June amounted to a little better than 6 inches, or 1 1/2 inches more than the corresponding months last year.



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Local Happenings

The Farmers elevator at Consort was recently destroyed by fire being a total loss.

Although not completely finished, the Band wagon proved quite an assistance at the Sports Grounds.

Two carloads of people, bearing the slogan "Altario Sports" on the windshields of the cars, passed through on Saturday morning, apparently heading for the lake.

July 1st, Dominion Day, passed very quietly for Monitor as practically everyone went out to Gooseberry Lake to attend the big U. F. A. Picnic there.

Mr. P. Moth sustained a painful accident last week, when he fell between a car and the station platform, badly straining his leg.

The weather man kind of fell down on the job last Saturday. The high n.w. wind and the sudden drop in temperature caused several to hunt up kindling wood, and to hunt for mislaid coats and vests. According to the experts, this weather is just what is wanted to help the crops, so we cant grumble.

Owing to the existing bad roads the visit of the Bishop, which was arranged for last Monday, had to be cancelled.

St. Laurence Picnic

St. Laurence congregation and Sunday School are arranging a day's Picnic at Gooseberry Lake to be held B.V. on Wed. July 13. All who would like to come are invited to send in their names as soon as possible. Cars will leave the church D. V. at 9 a.m. Races etc are to be held for the children and cash prizes will be given.

Ladies are asked to bring baskets.



Something New For The Ladies

Just think! A real live fox for a neck scarf. This is a fact not an uncommon sight at the International Silver Fox Exhibition in Montreal last week. The lady here has a genuine silver fox around her neck, and judging from appearances the animal seems quite reconciled to being used for such a novel purpose.

Several from town visited Gregerson School last Monday to hear a lecture from the Child Welfare Expert.

BORN—To Mr and Mrs Albert E Baxter, of Pemukau, Alta on July 5th a son,

Red Cross Notes

The General meeting postponed from last Friday will be held

TO-NIGHT

in the Big Hall. It is earnestly requested that all those interested endeavor to be present. Business: Election of officers for the permanent Monitor Branch of the Canadian Red Cross.

3 From Here Attend Course At Calgary

Three ladies, Mesdames W. Cramer, A. Reid and Fox attended the 6 day course for Soldier Settlers wives, recently held at Calgary, and the delegates report the convention a huge success. There were clinics, nurses, instructions, and much helpful information. The churches of different denominations served the meals, and the whole assembly were presented with tickets for the Fair on Friday afternoon. It is a pity that more from this district did not attend, as we are told that the benefit derived from this course cannot be over estimated.

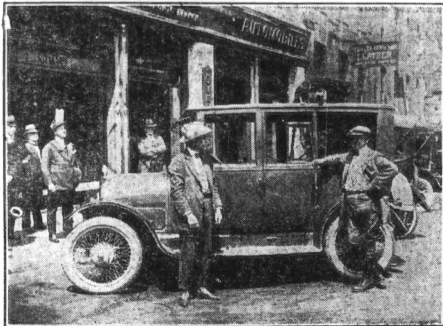
Mr. E.M. Gillam returned on Saturday night, from his holidays.

A Justifiable Postponement

The Directors of the Western Canada Colonization Association are to be commended for their action in postponing the actual work of bringing in settlers until they secure from the prairie provinces a reasonably firm price list of unoccupied lands available for sale. The Association will not be warranted in expending the large sum of money subscribed by its backers until it secures reasonable co-operation from the three Governments. It would be nothing short of a disaster if lack of action by the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Legislatures should prevent the use of this great fund for the general advantage of the Canadian West.

We look to see the forthcoming conference of prairie province Premiers agree upon some workable basis of action that will facilitate the operations of the Western Canada Colonization Association, as of other immigration agencies. The sooner the twenty million acres of idle land near the railways, now held out of production by more than eighty thousand individual speculators, is brought under the plow, the sooner will good times return, the burden of taxation be lightened and the National Railways achieve a self-supporting basis.

Remarkable Trip In Overland Car



Overland tours of 75,000 miles are not common among Canadian automobile owners but one was completed this month that took in territory from coast to coast, north as far as Edmonton and south to Lower California.

Mr. J. T. Pears, who was in business in Toronto for many years, undertook the trip chiefly for his health's sake and was accompanied by Mr. Roy M. Jones. After preliminary tours through Muskoka, Montreal and the Adirondacks to the Atlantic, they commenced their long trip by way of Chicago and St. Louis and then north again to Winnipeg, crossing the Rockies through the Crow's Nest Pass, they visited Vancouver and proceeded to Los Angeles.

Sleeping in the car every night

proved a wonderful tonic, and they thoroughly enjoyed the trip, which was not marred by a single accident. They were always able to obtain gasoline and neither mountains nor deserts proved an obstacle to their "90" Sedan. After several months in California, every district being visited, Mr. Pears and Mr. Jones returned by the New Mexico and Colorado route, averaging about 125 miles a day.

They brought back two monkeys, one an Australian Java, the other a Philippines Ringtail, which were photographed on top of the car when driven up to the Toronto branch of the Willys Overland Company. The monkeys, Mr. Pears states are becoming accustomed to their new home very quickly.

Wind On the Stomach Quickly Relieved

It is a good thing to know just what to do when gas belching starts. One sufferer relates the following experience: "A few months ago I ate some green vegetables and some fruits that was not quite ripe. It brought on indigestion, hicoughs, nausea and cramps. I belched gas continually. A neighbor urged me to use 'Nerviline.' I took it in hot sweetened water, and got quick relief. I will never again be without this valuable remedy." Nerviline is a household necessity. Large 35c bottles sold everywhere.

A Waste.
"Closest is the stingiest man I ever knew. He smoked his cigars to the last half inch, chewed the stumps and brushed his teeth with the ashes. Even then he wasn't satisfied and stopped smoking."

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Farthest North Bank

Union Bank Will Open a Branch at Fort Smith, in Latitude Sixty Degrees North.

Carrying bank accommodation for the first time into the northern oil district, the Union Bank of Canada will open a branch at Fort Smith, in latitude sixty degrees north. It is not to be expected that the Fort Smith Branch of the Union Bank can become a profitable venture, particularly in its initial stages, but it is characteristic of Canadian banking that the banker should accompany the foremost of civilization and development in any movement tending towards national progress.

THIN, WATERY BLOOD MEANS ILL HEALTH

Rich, Red Blood Brings Bright Eyes and Rosy Cheeks.

The girl who returns home from school or from work thoroughly tired and is so fatigued that she escapes a physical breakdown, because this getting tired so easily is probably the first warning symptom of a thinning blood that must not be disregarded if her health is to be preserved.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained from any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Air Harbor For Regina.

The establishment of a municipal air harbor at Regina is now all but an accomplished fact, and of two sites submitted by the city to the Canadian Air Force Association, the association selected one comprising about one hundred acres. All that remains to complete arrangements is the receiving and erection of the Bessoneau hangar, which has been reserved for Regina by the Canadian Air Board.

Will Direct Traffic to Canada.

The drastic immigration restrictions which have recently come into effect in the United States will, it is thought, have a natural sequence in the diversion of the superfluous flow to Canada. Authorities are also of the opinion that the rigid enforcement of the act will result in the transferring of some of the vessels of the New York-trans-Atlantic fleet to the port of Montreal.

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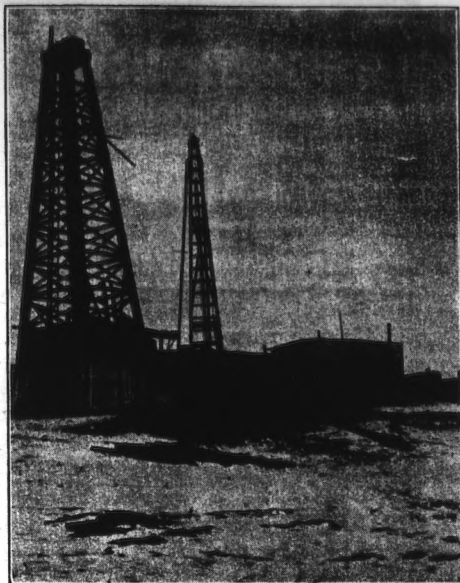
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The Imperial Oil Company at Monitor

are making great headway. They are now down to steady grind and everything is running smoothly. It is authentically reported that they will reach the 1400 foot mark by the end of this week. So far, they have managed to carry a large hole to this depth. Visitor at the location think they are arriving at another village. Bank houses, Machine shop, Garage, Cook house, etc., all lit up with electric light, to say nothing of the mountains of casing lying around.

THE WEST REGENT.

are still hard at it. They have established a record for drilling in Alberta. The formation at present is very promising. A small flow of gas was struck at 1900 feet. The present formation is shale, and all hands are on the alert for a gusher that may struck at any time.

MUD BUTTE OILFIELDS Ltd. is still at a standstill. We are unable to ascertain the cause of the delay.

THE UNION OIL CO

Mr Hovist, of the Union made a trip to Calgary the first of the last week, and since his return has got everything in readiness for rapid headway. They will be running tower immediately. Mr. L. Featherston has for the past 2 weeks been at Birch Lake, where he has built another well for this outfit.

Taken by and large, the oil development in the district is progressing far more rapidly than was at first expected. It is true, that owing to the poor train service, supplies have been very hard to get, and considerable delay has been caused on this account, but apparently there is no way out of this difficulty. It is comforting to note however, that all the companies here represented, will drill until they either strike oil or it is proven that the hole is a duster. The News will endeavor to keep its readers in touch with the different developments from week to week.

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Among Our Exchanges

IF EDITORS TOLD THE TRUTH.

Only a short time ago the editor of a paper in Indiana grew tired of being called a liar, and announced that he would tell the truth in the future and the next issue of the paper contained the following items:

John Bonin, the laziest merchant in town made a trip to Belleville on Monday.

John Coyle, our groceryman is doing poor business. His store is dusty and dirty. How can he do so much?

Rev. Mr. Sty preached last Sunday night on Charity. The sermon was punk and nearly an hour long.

Dave Cankey died at his home here on Thursday. The doctor gave it out as heart failure. Whiskey killed him.

Married—Miss Sylvia Robs and James Collins were married last Saturday night at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. J. Gordon. The bride is a very ordinary town girl who doesn't know any more about cooking than a jackrabbit and never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by any means and has a gut like a duck. The groom is an up-to-date loafer. He has been living off the old folks at home and his life is not worth shucks. It will be a hard life.

Died—Ezra Plumb (age 56 yrs. 6 months and 13 days. Deceased was a mild natured pirate with a mouth for whiskey. He came here in the night with another man's wife and joined the church at the first chance. He owes 7 for the paper a large meat bill, and you could hear him pray for six blocks. He died singing Jesus Paid It All, and we think he is right—he never paid anything himself. He was buried in an asbestos casket, and his friends threw palm leaves in his grave as he may need them.—

A woman on the train asked the conductor how long the cars the cars stopped at the station. He replied: "Madam we stop just four minutes from two to two to two two."

The woman turned to her companion and said: "I wonder if he thinks he's the whistle on the engine."

INTERTYPE HUMORS

The Pi-line is an ever-fruited subject. That is so. We never known where to look for it. Murdrons, it steals on us, and our beautiful thoughts are slaughtered. It gives us great pleasure to read in the account of a social function that Mrs. Jones wore a gown of ziffiffix although we naturally wonder what it cost her husband. Another time we are worked up to a high pitch of high excitement by some account of a terrible explosion ZMGBZGW!!!—evidently so stupendous that the intertype operator was quite overpowered. These pi-lines have a painful habit of intruding themselves in all manner of places, but seem to have a particular attraction for those productions of the writer which he considers his best. Then it is that he cheerfully and energetically consigns the the compositor to VMHR*SE*7)

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A black mare came to my place on about the 15th of June Halter and rope right hind foot white. Looks to be about 3 or 4 years old. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. and pasture. Sec. 32-34 J. H. Fancher. 24tf. up.

NOTICE

REWARD offered for information leading to the recovery of one Bay mare Black mane and tail may have sucking colt now. Wt. about 1400. Age 6 years. left hind foot white Branded N E on left hip. Brand may not be visible. N. W. 1/4 35-4 John A. Connah. 23-25 pd.

ESTRAY on 19-35-4. One 2 yr. old filly. Blazed face. Left hind foot white. No visible brands. Owner is expected to pay for this advertisement and expenses. 26 tf. up.

FOR SALE—FALL EYE Price on application to— Bert Hutchinson, Monitor 26tf up

WEEDS

This is the year to seed Fall Rye on all weedy, sandy, blown-out, deserted, and worthless land. Double disc the weeds with sharp discs, which smashes and and cutes the weeds making a mulch to catch snow and prevent drifting. DO IT NOW

Also, if crop of feed oats in spring plowing, take chains off drill and just drill in the fall rye, in the oats Rye comes on after oats are cut, and thereas that much work out of the way DO IT NOW—before the hurry of cutting and threshing.

Are the threshing machines all ready to thresh this years crop? Rye raisers should arrange about the threshing NOW to get it in the cars and away to market, before wheat cutting, and while the market is right. Seed Rye can probably be bought and shipped in here cheaper next spring, than the early price this fall.

Henry W. Wood, Weed Inspector.

On June 21st 4 head of horses were lifted from S. Raaflaub pasture, 2 have been found 2 still missing:— 1 hump backed gelding Bay Branded 4 on right

shoulder. 1 Brown gelding heavy mane and tail. Had heavy halter on. Hobbles and heel chain trailing on left front leg. White star on face narrow White stripes 3-35-5-4 S. Raaflaub 26tf up

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(Continued)
CHAPTER I.

The Beck of Fortune.

The last congratulations had been offered; the last good wishes, somewhat mixed with tears, had been expressed. The bride, glowing in the happy consciousness of her own beauty, and deified by the great tenderness that enveloped her new estate like a golden mist, said her farewells with steady voice and undrooping eyes. Once only, when two frail arms drew her to the great mother-heart that was fighting with joy and unspoken sorrow through its travail of the soul, did their bright rays moisten and tremble like sun-shafts in a pool. It was for the moment only; one hallowing kiss on the dear, white cheek; then, with uplifted head, she said good-bye, and the mother smiled upon her in a pride that was deeper than her pain. The bride had not feared, a generation back, to cross the seas and carve a province and a future from the forest, was not a breed to withhold its most beautiful and noble from the ventures of the greater West.

It had been a busy winter for John Harris, and this, although the consummation of his great desire, was but the threshold to new activities and new outlets for his intense energies. Since the face and form of Mary Allan had first attracted him in his little backwoods school district, a vast ambition had possessed his soul, and to-day, which had seemed to be its end, he now knew to be but its beginning. The ready consent of his betrothed to share his life in the unknown wilderness between the Red River and the Rocky Mountains had been a tide which, taken at its flood, might well lead him on to fortune. At the conclusion of his fall term he had resigned his position as teacher, and with his meagre savings had set about accumulating equipment essential to the homesteader. A team of horses, two cows, a few ducks, geese and hens; a plough, a wagon, a sled, a set of carpenter's tools; a gun, an axe, a compass, a chest of medicine, a box of books; a tent, bedding, spare clothing—these he had gathered together in the village store or at farmers' "sales," and the doing so had almost exhausted the winter and his money. Because his effects were not enough to fill a car he had "doublet up" with Tom Morrison, a fine farmer whose worldly success had been somewhat less than his deserts, and who bravely hoped to mend his broken fortunes where land might be had for the taking. Their car had already gone forward, with Morrison's hired man nestling obviously in the hay, and two others had under the man's feet. When railways were invented they were excepted from the protection of the Eighth Commandment.

So John Harris and his bride took the passenger train from their city home, while their goods and chattels, save for their personal baggage, rumbled on in a box-car or crowded stolidly into congested side-tracks as the exigencies of traffic required. At a junction point they were transferred from the regular passenger service to an immigrant train. Immigrant trains, in the spring of 'eighty-two, were somewhat more or less than they now are. The tourist sleeper, with its comfortable berths, its clean linen, its kitchen range, and its dusky attendant, restrained to an attitude of agreeable deference by his anticipation of a gratuity, was a gray atom of potentiality in the brain of an unknown genius. Even the colonist car, which has done noble service in later days in the propelling of the Prairie West, was only in the early stages of its evolution. The purpose of immigrant trains was to move people. To supply comforts as well as locomotion was an extravagance undreamed of in transportation.

The train was full. Every seat was taken; aisles were crowded with standing passengers who "stumbled over hules and vases" with a very pitch in the uncertain road-bed; wo-

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men fought bravely with memories too recent to be healed, and children crowded in rusty abandon or shrieked as they fell between the slippery seats. The men were making acquaintances; the communities from which they came were sufficiently interwoven to link up relationships with little difficulty, and already they were exchanging anecdotes in high hilarity or discussing plans and prospects with that mutual sympathy which so quickly arises among those who seek their fortunes together under strange conditions.

One or two of the passengers had already made the trip to Manitoba, and were now on the journey a second time, accompanied by their wives and families. These men were soon noted as individuals of some moment; they became the centre of little knots of conversation, and their fellow-immigrants hung in reverent attention upon every word from their lips. Their description of the great plains, where one might look as far as the eye could carry in every direction, of seeing house or tree or any obstruction to the vision, fell with all the wonder of the Arabian Nights upon the eager company. Stories of the trail of Red River cart and ox-team, of duck shooting by the prairie sloughs, the whiff of black powder from their muzzle-loaders and the whistle of sharp wings against the sky, of the cluster of wild geese which made sleep impossible, and the yelp of prairie wolves—these came through the darkness; of thunder and lightning of tempest and rain, of storm and blizzard and snow and cold—cold that cracked in the empty heavens like breaking glass and withered the cheek like fire of Indians, of the certain slipping like moccasined ghosts down the twilight, or peering unexpectedly through cabin windows; of hardship and privation and strength and courage and possibilities beyond the measure of the imagination—these fell from the lips of the favored oldtimes, punctuated with jest and prophecy and nicely-timed intervals of silence.

"And is there no stones there, or stumps?" asked a woman, big of bicep and deep of chest from years of wrestling with the rocks and timbers of Lanark. "Has the bush all been cleared away?"

"Bush? There's no bush to clear. The prairie's as bald as yer table—no reflection on yer cookin', ma good woman, but so it is, except for the grass that tickles yer fingers as ye walk an' the prairie that up-ends ye when ye're no thinkin'." Bush! Ah! ye burn more bush from ma ten-acre clearing than ye'll find in a dozen counties. "Decid, ye'll think a little more bush'd be a guid-thing when ye have yer house to build an' a hungry stove to keep roarin' from November to April."

"But whereby do they make their fences, if they ha' no cedar rails?" demanded the woman, still unconvinced. "Fences?—An' why for would ye fence a farm, ye unsociable body? To keep the gophers out. Or to keep the badgers in? Scip! ye have all out-doors for yer cattle, an' the days of the buffalo are over; thanks to the white man's powder an' shot, what would ye have with fences?"

"But are ye sure it has no been all ploughed some time?" persisted the woman, who could not bring herself to believe that Nature, unaided, had left great acres ready for the hand of the husbandman. A life of environment amid forests and rocks had sorely cramped her imagination.

"Ah'm no saying for sure, but whoever ploughed it took a man's order. It will be a thousand miles long, Ah'm thinkin', an' nobody knowed how wide. Pioneers like you an' me ha' been workin' our hands off in Canada" (it was a trick of the old-times to think only of the Eastern Provinces as Canada), "an' in a hundred years we have no cleared what'd be a garden patch so that farm out yonder. Ah'm thinkin' it was a bigger hand than yours or mine that did that clearin'."

"Tell us about the crops," said one of the men passengers. "What like wheat can ye grow?"

"Like corn," said the narrator, with great deliberation. "Heads like ears o' corn. Wheat that grows so fast ye can hear it. Nothin' uncommon

to walk into wheat-fields when they's knee-high, an' have to fight yer way out like a jungle."

"Is the Injuns werry big?" piped a little-voice. "Ma pa's go'n to make me a bone-arrow so I can kill 'em all up."

"That's a brave soldier," said the man, drawing the child to his knee. "But Ah know a better way to fight Indians than with bows an' arrows. D'ye want me to tell ye a story?"

"S about Moses?"

"No, Ah ain't quite up-to-date on Moses, but Ah can tell ye a story about a better way to fight Indians than with arrows an' powder. Ah fight 'em with flour an' blankets an' badger-spear, an' it's a long way better."

The child climbed up on the friendly knee, and interested himself in the great silver watch-chain that looped convenient to his fingers. "Go on wif yer story, man," he said. "It's listenin'."

And big Aleck McCar forgot the immigrants crowded around, forgot jurch of the train and the window-glimpse of forests heavy-blanketed with snow, as he ploughed his fertile imagination and spun a sudden harvest of wonderment before the little soul that clung to his great watch-chain.

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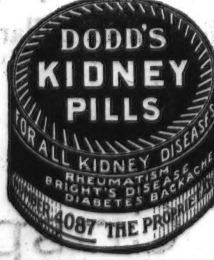
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Alberta's Upward Progress

No greater tribute to the Alberta government could be paid than that offered by Mrs. H. M. Edwards, of Macleod, president of the provincial council of women, who, in the preface to the first and second editions of her book on "The legal status of women of Alberta," says that "the women of Alberta are more favored in regard to legal status than are those of any other province in Canada." Such a tribute might justly be applied to all classes in the province, for the legislative record of Alberta's Liberal government has been one of consistently upward progress, many of the enactments placed on the statute books having been adopted by other progressive governments of Canada and elsewhere.

For Rural Districts

Although the needs of urban communities have been well looked after, the legislation enacted for the special benefit of the rural parts of the province is of striking importance. The appropriation this year for roads, bridges, and ferries is over two and one-quarter million dollars, making a total appropriation for that purpose in five years six and one-quarter million dollars. The province has been covered by a network of telephone lines, so that now even the most remote districts are almost instant touch with populated centres. When unfavorable seasons were experienced in certain portions of the province, the government did not hesitate, but paid out nearly one and one-quarter million dollars for seed grain, feed, and other relief.

THE STEWART GOVERNMENT today stands behind an imposing record of legislation, created during the last fifteen years, that has truly met the needs of all classes of people in the province. The opening up of the great north country; the provincial guarantee of irrigation bonds; the guarantee of the bonds of drainage districts; the strong, systematic and successful effort to obtain wider markets for Alberta coal; legislation along practical lines directly affecting labor, including the workmen's compensation act; the gigantic stride in health legislation—all these stand as monuments to the progressive policy of the government, and prove that, as the result of the Liberal regime in the province,

Alberta Has the Most Beneficent and Far-Reaching Legislation of any Province in Canada

The 'Cow' Bill has been wonderfully successful in enabling farmers in newer districts to secure cattle under government loans. Farmers are protected under another act from unscrupulous machinery and other contractors. A great deal of other and similar legislation might be mentioned. The government in all its dealings has recognized that the future development of the province rests largely with the agricultural, live stock, and dairy interests, and has endeavored to encourage them to the full extent of its power.

In Interests of Women

Alberta women are especially favored. Alberta was the first province in Canada to grant equal provincial and municipal suffrage. A mother has equal rights with the father in their children. Married women have full control of their own property. Women have a special interest in the "Exemption from Seizures Ordinance," which protects the family home from seizure under execution. A widow's interest in her husband's estate, despite provisions in a will to the contrary, is also protected. Other legislation has been enacted for women. What more could the government have done for them?

Helping Rural Schools

The educational facilities in Alberta are on a high plane. In order to promote the efficiency and encourage the permanency of rural school teachers, the government pays one-third of the cost of building and furnishing the teachers' home. Consolidated schools, where they are desired, are aided by government grants. Where consolidation is impossible or is not desired, three times the usual grant is made to two-room schools, so that educational facilities may be largely increased. The educational opportunity of the child in the country is now more nearly equal to that of the child in town or city, by reason of special legislation providing for high school education in rural districts. The Government believes in providing adequate educational facilities for even the most remote districts, so that the children of settlers miles from a railroad or settlements may have a fair start in life.

Province of Alberta Co-operative Credit Societies

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Non-Appearance of Aeroplanes at Sports Now Explained

The following letter re. the Aeroplanes, is self-explanatory.

Our inability to arrive at Monitor is a very keen disappointment to us and we must ask you to accept our sincere regret. The weather proved impossible and hopeless. Capt. McCall made every endeavor to weather the storm but had to give in and land before reaching your place. Under the circumstances, your deposit money is at your disposal here. If you wish it returned, this will be done immediately we hear from you. Possibly you may be able to suggest some alternative date. If so, and we are available, it would give us much pleasure to meet you.

We are, Yours truly,

The McCall-Hanrahan Aero Service

Dated at Calgary, July 2nd

True Bear Stories

By O-GE-MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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An old Indian friend of mine named Robert Bear (still living), with whom I passed the spring on two neighboring stages in the flooded lands of the lower Saskatchewan many years ago, used to chat with me over his hunting experiences round the camp fire; same fire being built on a clay bottom, on the poles which formed the floor of each stage, and I have known the water rise very close to the floor, but this only for a short time and when the ice had jammed at the elbow of the Big River.

Robert was a sincere Christian and a devout member of the English Church which has done so much towards the work amongst the Indian tribes of the Northwest; his grandmother was, it is said an Esquimaux, while he was born and brought up amongst the swampy Cree of the lower Red River settlement. A splendid big game and fur hunter, he was remarkably cool in moments of danger as the following incidents will show.

At my request for a story one evening, Robert said, "I was in the employ of the Hudsons Bay Company at Fairford Post, situated at the north end of Lake Manitoba, and the master there had occasion to send an express packet of importance to Fort Garry; this I was to take alone and on foot, and I decided to strike a direct course through the bush and swamps. It was in the spring of the year, and I was travelling light; a H. B. blanket 3 point; two spare pair of moccasins; a single barrel flint lock gun; tomahawk and scalping knife with some tea, tobacco and matches made up the outfit. I took no provisions, but would depend on game killed en route. The distance roughly speaking would be about 160 miles, and on my second morning out I started as usual at the first peep of daylight and after an hour or so walking came out on the bank of a small round lake, about a long stone throw across; on the other side directly opposite me were two black bears standing on their hind legs and wrestling. I at once slipped a trading bullet on top of the spot charge in my gun, opened the pan and tapped the stock to send the powder well up; just as I was occupied in this the bears dropped on their four feet, looked across at me and

each taking different directions started at a clumsy gallop round the lake. One thinks quick in a moment of this kind and I was not prepared with my single barrel to meet both bears at once so I started to run and meet one of them, he came on at the same pace and when within a few feet I fired and killed him dead, then with my foot on his body I loaded as quickly as possible, but none too soon as the other bear was very close; taking careful aim I fired and killed him dead within a few feet of his mate.

"And then, Robert, what did you do?"

"I knelt down and thanked God for mercifully preserving my life (truly here was a lesson from an Indian, how few white men would have thought of their Maker). Well, my hunt was a good one, the bears were both young males and in prime condition; I decided to camp for a while and dry the skins so that I could put them in my pack and it would mean pocket money in Fort Garry; while the skins, after being carefully scraped, were drying, I cut a quantity of the meat up in thin strips and hung it on stakes in the smoke, this meaning grub for the trip. There was still a quantity of meat over and I did not want to waste the good food; fortunately there was a muskox close and on pulling upon a lot of moss I came to ice and on that I piled the spare meat, then placed heavy logs over the cache to keep off Mister Wolverine.

This was the only exciting occurrence on the trip, but the next evening I struck a small Indian encampment and was received with the greatest hospitality as usual and in return I directed them to my bears meat cache and told them they were very welcome to the meat."

Many years after this Robert moved with his family to the south branch of the Saskatchewan and located on a small farm, where from this base he would go on extended hunts in the winter and crop his land in the summer time. About the same time or a year or so later I had started fur trading in the Stony Creek district (now Mellott), and on a trading trip to Chas-kas-ta-pa-sin's bands at Wa-a-ga-mow I was offered parts of three black bear skins and at once inquired what happened to the rest of the skins. Their story told me by Ne-soo-pa-tin-cyniew was that a huge old grizzly had wandered in from the plains (and not hibernating like the local bears) had found the winter dens of these unfortunates, dug them out, feasted on the meat and thus mutilated the hides; he had followed the track for some distance northwards and then dropped it. In the meantime the news of Mr. Grizzly's arrival had spread far and wide as they were rare visitors in the north country; Robert Bear was one of the first to hear of it and never having shot a grizzly he determined to track him if at all possible.

He was, I think, some three days on the trail, a quid as before with a single barrel gun, axe and knife, but at this date precaution locks had replaced the oldtime flint, and after considerable circling he found the track at the main Saskatchewan River below the Forks; the bear crossed the river here and took to the dense bush; finally the track freshened and Robert stopped, overhauled his gun, replaced the cap and then with a determination that it was either him or the bear to cross the Great Divide, he waited for a favorable wind, and then, stepping like a ballet dancer, he crept along the trail.

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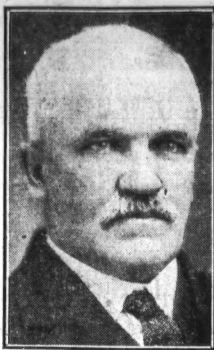
May Renew Anglo-Jap Treaty.

Tokio.—Great Britain, the Nichi Nichi declares, has requested that Japan permit the Anglo-Japanese alliance to continue another year. The two nations are definitely negotiating for a revision of the alliance, the newspaper says.

Promising Crops In B.C.

Victoria, B.C.—Official reports of the provincial department of agriculture for the month of May point to bumper fruit crops practically all over British Columbia.

Building For The Future



Hon. A. P. McNab, Minister of Public Works for Saskatchewan, whose department is erecting beautiful buildings at Saskatoon and Weyburn.

Bank President Sees Robbery

Watched Bandits Escape With \$16,000 In Currency.

Minneapolis.—A bag containing \$16,000 in currency was taken from two messengers of the Millers and Traders Bank by five bandits as they stepped from an automobile in front of the bank here. The bank is located just across the street from police headquarters, and members of the sheriff's force, court attaches and the president of the bank, Guy Thomas, watched the robbery from across the street. The hold-up men escaped in an automobile, pursuing policemen losing trace of them in the heavy traffic.

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Crop Prospects

Good in Manitoba

Country Well Organized to Cope With Hopper Menace.

Winnipeg.—With all conditions pointing to a bumper crop, Manitoba farmers are generally optimistic regarding the yield this year, according to a report issued by the provincial agricultural department. The average, the report states is about normal. No actual harm has as yet been done by grasshoppers, but they are hatching generously in some places. The country, however, is well organized to cope with any situation which may arise from this pest.

Although seeding commenced later in some parts of Manitoba, the progress during May has been quite satisfactory. The large amount of plowing done last fall enabled rapid progress to be made with seeding, though in some sections all the barley has not been sown yet.

Give your local merchants a chance. Buy at home.

Hope Of Ireland Is To Defeat Republican Army

Sir Hamar Greenwood Says Irish People Would Be Glad If Government Rid Them Of This Terror.

London.—Replying in the House to an attack on the Government policy of reprisals in Ireland and the Irish administration, Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, said that the number of troops in Ireland was so short of the requirements that it had been impossible to provide guards for all public buildings. It was considered incredible, he said, that extremist Sinn Feiners should attempt to burn national possessions such as the customs house.

Two parliaments, said the secretary, had been elected in Ireland. The Ulster Parliament would soon be constituted and it would then be impossible to extend martial law in that area without the consent of the Ulster Parliament. If Southern Ireland failed to take advantage of the opportunity to assume the responsibility of good government in the south, a new situation would arise which the Government must face with all its resources.

With regard to reprisals, no officer below the rank of Brigade Commander was entitled to order them, and all serious abnormal acts were reviewed. If in any case innocent persons suffered by orders of a brigade commander, the secretary

said, he would consider it a case for compensation out of the exchequer funds.

Official reprisals only operated in martial law areas and official reprisals were so rare as to be almost extinct. With regard to General Seely's demand that reprisals should only be carried out on purely military grounds, and that no house should be destroyed unless used as cover for an ambush, and the occupants reasonably suspected of participating in outrages, the chief secretary promised to discuss the matter with the commander-in-chief and bring before him the points raised in this debate.

In concluding, he characterized the "Irish republican army" as a negligible minority of the Irish people. The people, he declared, would be glad if the Government would rid them of this terror. He expressed the opinion that the hope of Ireland was first to defeat the "republican army" and then to encourage the coming together of the north and south, which had happily begun. The policy of the Government was to leave Ireland to the Irish leaders themselves to settle within limits clearly defined by the Government.

League Of Nations Society For Canada

Object Is To Make Vital Purpose of League.

Ottawa.—To make vital the objects and purposes of the League of Nations, the League of Nations Society of Canada was brought into being at a meeting in the Chateau Laurier which was attended by many of the most eminent leaders of Canadian public life. Officers were elected, Sir Robert Borden being made president; Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. T. A. Crerar, honorary presidents; and Hon. N. W. Rowell and Hon. Dr. Beldand, vice-presidents.

Hope Of B.C. Eldorado.

Victoria, B.C.—Hopes of discovery of a new Eldorado in Northern British Columbia are held by a group of experienced mining men, who, it is understood, are financing an expedition into the Cassiar district. Mr. Stuart Henderson, well-known lawyer and promoter, is said to be at the head of the enterprise.

Daylight Saving In Saskatoon.

Saskatoon.—The daylight saving bylaw carried by a majority of 90. There were 849 ballots in favor of the measure and 759 opposed. The city council will be asked to ratify the result of the vote at a meeting this week.

Contract Awarded For Irrigation Scheme

Work On 50 Mile Ditch Will Commence at Once.

Edmonton, Alta.—Grant Smith & Company, and McDonald Limited, of Vancouver and Calgary, have been awarded the contract for excavation of six million feet of earth on the 50 mile of ditch for the Lethbridge northern irrigation project. The contract price was \$1,660,279, which is a saving of about \$420,000 on the original estimate of the government engineer, George Anderson, who had estimated the cost to be \$2,130,000. If the remainder of the work is done at a similar saving, the total saving will likely reach \$10 an acre which would reduce the capital outlay for the farmers to about \$10 an acre.

The successful company will start work within two weeks, and expect to employ about 1,000 men.

Ottawa.—Hon. Dr. R. G. Brett, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, was elected president of the Dominion Medical Council at its session here. The chief item of business was the setting of papers for coming examinations.

Nelson, B.C.—Fire, the origin of which is at present unknown, completely destroyed the sawmill of the O'Neill and Mann Lumber Company at Boulder.



Wash Day and Backache

WASH day is the least welcome day of the week in most homes, though sweeping day is not much better. Both days are most trying on the back.

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Settlement Reached In British Coal Miners' Strike

Hoped That New Relations Will Now Be Inaugurated Between Capital and Labor.

London.—The prolonged stoppage in the coal industry ends by a settlement reached when the government agreed to renew its offer of a subsidy of £10,000,000 to avert the hardships of the next three months, because of necessary wage reductions, thereby conceding the one condition required by the miners in the settlement reached between the miners and the mine-owners.

By the terms of the new arrangement, a wage basis will come into effect for the next eighteen months, whereby the miners receive 20 per cent. above the pre-war scale of wages, with an additional share of profits on an agreed percentage basis which will be regulated by the creation of a national board and district boards.

The settlement is only a slight modification of the terms the miners rejected by their last ballot, and covers the period up to September 30, 1922, but either side must give three months' notice of a desire to terminate the agreement.

Announcing the settlement in the House of Commons, Mr. Lloyd George justified the granting of the

subsidy on the ground that the coal exporting districts were so hardly hit by the collapse of the export trade that, if economic conditions had full play, there would be unsupportable reductions in wages.

The settlement, he said, was a great and promising experiment; no such principles had ever before been applied in such a vast scale in any industry. He was hopeful that it would inaugurate new relations between capital and labor, not only in coal but in other industries, and he believed that it was sincerely carried out with goodwill it would repay the nation for all the damage suffered through the dispute.

Germany to Return Railway Materials
Washington.—Germany has fulfilled her obligation to replace railway material taken by her armed forces from foreign countries during the war, according to advice received here in official circles. The Inter-Allied Railway Commission demanded that Germany deliver five thousand railway cars to France and Belgium, of which the former country is to receive 1,500 and the latter 3,500.

For Development of Canada



Col. W. Grant Morden, Deputy Chairman of the London Advisory Committee of Canada Steamship Lines, who, in a recent address, urged Canadian business men to be more active in pushing Canada's trade interests.

Menonites May Not Move Little Prospect of Exodus From Manitoba This Year.

Winnipeg.—A local government official declared here upon his return from the Manitoba Menonite settlement that there is little prospect of a movement of Menonites to Mexico or any other country from the province. He stated that less than 100,000 acres of the 1,000,000 held by Menonites in Southeastern Manitoba is listed for sale, and up to the present time none of this has been sold nor prospective buyers secured.

Victory for Farmer Candidate

Medicine Hat Bye-Election Gives Gardiner Sweeping Majority Over Government Candidate.

Medicine Hat.—The United Farmers of Alberta forces scored a sweeping political victory in the Federal bye-election here, Robert Gardiner defeating Col. Nelson Spencer, the Government candidate, by a huge majority, which will probably reach the 8,000 mark when all the outlying polls are heard from. Spencer received majorities in only three or four polls of the 148.

It had been generally conceded that the farmers would poll a large vote in the country districts, but it was thought that the city of Medicine Hat would return a large majority for Spencer and that he would do more than break even in the smaller towns.

Develop Frozen Fish Trade

Urges Campaign to Sell Canadian Fish in Great Britain.

Ottawa.—An obstacle to the development of the trade in Canadian frozen fish on the British market is that during the open season for salmon in Great Britain, Canadian frozen salmon is sold as English and Scottish, but in the closed season, from September to February, the demand languishes, as salmon is supposed to be a summer fish.

This information is contained in a communication from J. Forsyth Smith, Canadian trade commissioner at Liverpool, to the weekly bulletin of the Department of Trade and Commerce. Mr. Smith advises an advertising campaign to sell Canadian frozen fish in the British Isles. He states that fish weighing from 7 to 14 pounds find the best sale.

Breaks Neck But Still Lives.

Chatham, Ont.—Some days ago John Jones fell off a motor truck and injured his neck. An X-ray examination revealed one of the vertebrae of the neck broken, but the nerve was untouched. Jones was immediately strapped to a piece of plank, and the attending physicians are now confident he will make a complete recovery.

Dr. In Maritime Provinces.

St. John, N.B.—Reports from the surrounding country are to the effect that the vegetable crop will be light and prices high this year on account of the drought.

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My First Dog Driving

By O-GE-MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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I received orders in January of the year 1874 to start west with the Win-ter Packet of the Hudson's Bay Company and had purchased a nice team of young dogs with light cariole from a clerk who came in from Swan River. The packet man was a famous traveller and known far and wide as one of the best long distance runners in the northwest. Poor Johnny Beads, like so many natives, he did not stand civilization and went to his long home a year or so ago.

I had been a year in the Fort Garry sale shop and hated the confinement and had made application on several occasions to be sent inland (as all the area outside the Red River settlement was called in those days), but the matter dragged, and at last, on threatening to resign, I had my way. So the long-looked-for time had come at last, and I was really off for the unknown interior next day. I slept mighty little that night, having waking dreams of great prairie stretches covered with buffalo, high mountains and huge forests, with lakes as big as inland seas, and above all, thousands of really wild Indians. It seemed too good to be true. The morning came at last and what with delays in the office, closing up important despatches, it was after an early lunch before we left. I paid hurried good-bye's to all my friends, and received a hearty hand clasp from Chief Factor John H. McTavish. He was at that time the uncrowned king of Fort Garry and was one of the best chiefs I ever had. His last words to me were: "If you don't like it in the north there is always a place for you here."

Johnny called "Marche!" and away we went. His dogs were a fearsome sight and very savage. They were called Brandy, Grog, Rum and Whiskey. They were all from the plains, were used to travois, and were as big as large timber wolves, with split ears, and were grey and white in color. Both my young dogs and myself treated them with the utmost respect—at a distance—and they evidently had a contempt for us as green horns. He was loaded entirely with mail matter and, of course, dog food and provisions on top of this. His only bedding was a single heavy boxes were carefully made of the thinnest and lightest of wood and he H. B. Co. white blanket. The packet was to take them to Fort Carlton on the North Branch of the Saskatchewan. This was a distance of between five and six hundred miles, with many a long stretch of plain and but little wood here and there. Other packet carriers met him at Carlton, and on went the great Northern Packet, only reaching some of the furthest posts on last ice. The greatest care was always taken of the precious mail matter.

My young train followed close behind his sleigh, and I noted Johnny studying my dog's gait from time to time. The first stop made was at Poplar Point (an H. B. Post), and Mr. Chisholm was hospitable as usual; in fact, too much so, as it was getting dusky before we pulled out for Portage. Just as we were hitching up, Johnny, who by the way stuttered badly, said "Bub-boy, your Hecrod (my foregoer) hauls too hard in front, so I will put him in the middle of my team and give you Bub-bub-Brandy ahead," well, I was green and knew no better, so he very quickly made the exchange, threw himself on his sled and was off like a flash. When I called, "Marche!" the dog sat down on the road and eyed me with a wicked look. I took a step towards him and shook my whip. His reply was to advance in my direction growling savagely, so I retreated. Well, I was in a quandary. Pride forbade me going in and asking for Chisholm's assistance. Suddenly I noted the fence, and taking a good

start, I ran off it, crept up to the rear of the train, balanced the rail on end and carefully, then sighting between old Brandy's ears, let it fall. My aim was true, and it bowled him over. With dreadful howls he sprang to his feet and started after my companion at a gallop, I just managing to throw myself in the cariole. Catching up with Johnny at last, I noted he was shaking with merriment, and on stopping for a smoke, he said: "Bub-bub-boy, what did you do to Bub-bub-Brandy?" We had a great laugh over it, but in future I kept my own dogs.

We Meet at Bourgeois.

We reached Portage about nine that night, and Mr. Jas. Hargrave made us very welcome as is usual amongst Hudson's Bay men. Next day we camped at White Mud River, where was one Jimmy Whiteaway, postmaster, and here we met my new chief, Factor Archie McDonald, king of the Swan River district. He was by no means prejudiced in favor of Canadians as by far the majority of the officers and men of the H. B. Co. at that time were Scotch, and very clamorous at that. Johnny Beads started early next morning for his long trip across the plains and I accompanied Mr. McDonald and party on his inspecting trip. Up to this time I had an easy time with my light cariole, but conditions even changed, so it was me for the road. Jeune-Homme, a young French half-breed, who was guide, fortunately took a fancy to the young tender foot, and at once christened me Ogemates, meaning little clerk. He had overheard the bourgeois say, "Well, we will see what kind of stuff this little Canuck is made of and he can head the party tomorrow."

It was a good thing for me the day was a short one, only some thirty miles, as I was running the whole distance. If you want to know what it was like, just watch a dog trotting beside a rig and you follow him and keep that up for thirty miles. Luckily for me the track was hard and snowshoes not needed. Oh, boy, but I was tired that night and my legs cramped with the unusual exertion, and it seemed that just about the time I fell asleep the call was made to get up again. This was my first introduction to an abominable habit customary with the big men of the company at that period. The guide called all hands between three and four in the morning, dogs were hitched and away we went, the bourgeois at once going to sleep in his cariole, while poor beggars trotted along. There was no sign of daylight, it was very cold, and our stomachs were fairly grinding for something to eat. In my own case I was stiff and sore from the unusual exertions of the day previous. I also had a sharp pain in one heel. Would daylight never come. Talk about an appetite, mine was like a raging wolf. Well, after a long three hours, the guide called a halt, a huge fire was made and we runners breakfasted mightily on bannock and raw pemican, with oceans of black tea. I told Jeune-Homme on the quiet that my heel was stinging me, and he at once pulled off my moccasins and socks. There was a crack in the hard skin of the heel over an inch long, and this would naturally open every step I took. "Oh, boy," he exclaimed, "I will soon fix that." Taking off his fur cap, in the crown of which was a square needle (really a three-cornered glove's) threaded with deer sinew, and holding my foot tightly, he put in three or four stitches. He then covered it with spruce gum, placed some cotton on this, and it bothered me no more. I remembered this recipe and used it afterwards on many occasions.

(To be continued)

Agree On Peace Pact.

Washington.—A compromise draft of the Knox-Borah resolution to end the state of war between the United States and Germany and Austria, was agreed upon by Republican conferees of the Senate and House.

Give your local merchants a chance. Buy at home.

Crops Burning Up In South Dakota.

Fargo, N.D.—Weather conditions during the past few days around Buffalo, N.D., have been very bad. Dry, hot winds are drying crops fast. There are many tracts of black rust, south of the town, crops are in a serious condition and several hundred acres will be plowed up.

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By Sub Rosa Special Correspondent
End of first half of league games sees Monitor away in the lead. Errors responsible for only loss.



Neut. Valley June 26

AT MONITOR

Valley 4 Monitor 11

Sports Day June 29

Eye Hill met defeat at the hands of the locals to the tune of 8-12 (1st game) The visitors were held tight until the fifth, when a couple of errors followed by two hits allowed two scores with two down. The inning concluded when an Eye Hill man attempted to steal second thusly:



STEWART TO



SASKE

The visitors started a rally in the last half of the ninth, and scored 5 runs, mostly through errors seemingly caused by Monitor having the game on ice. SOMETIMES, ice has been known to melt—so be careful. Monitor scored often through-

out the game. Base stealing and good hitting when needed gave them a steady scoring list.

Second Game



This is Kirk being escorted to the mound by the Manager to pitch the second game. He pitched good ball, with air-tight support.

Game called in 6th.
Eye Hill 1
Monitor 10 ones

The Eye Hill boys withstood an awful battery of rooters (awful is right—Ed) but when the games were over (for 1st. and 2nd money) everyone declared they were a good sporty bunch of boys.

C. E. A. Standing

End of first Half

	Won	Lost	Avg
Monitor	* 6	1	.857
N. Valley	5	3	.625
Loyalist	* 3	4	.425
Consort	* 2	4	.333
Veteran	* 1	5	.200

- * One game rain
- † Tied game

The Church and Its Work

By The Rev. W. S. Wickenden
Holy Baptism

Holy Baptism is one of the two Sacraments ordained by Christ. His final command before His Ascension included Baptism. On the Day of Pentecost when St Peter was asked by people who wanted to be saved what they must do, he told them "Repent and be baptised everyone of you in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins."

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Your attention is drawn to an advertisement, appearing elsewhere in this issue regarding the Alberta Co operative Credit Societies.

Since this agreement was reached early last spring, 7 societies have been active operation and have secured the necessary funds to cover their requirements, and at the present time more than a quarter million of credits have been granted through the Boards of Directors of the different societies doing business.

Miss Hargrove has been visiting her parents for a few days recently.

M. D. Of Stewart

BYLAW no. 24 of the Municipal District of Stewart no. 302 A Bylaw for the protection of Animals from the danger of loose wire.

Under the authority of the Municipal District Act section 191-17a, the Council of the Municipal District of Stewart enacts as follows:

Any person or persons having loose wire on Road Allowances, or on lands adjoining Road Allowances in this Municipal District, will be prosecuted by the Council, and on conviction will be subject to a fine of not less than \$5.00 or more than \$25.00

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LOST—Bay mare, 2 yrs. old. W. Stripe on forehead. Hind legs white. Barb wire cut on right front shoulder. Gone since 25 of April. \$5 reward for information leading to recovery, \$10 reward if taken home. John Wiehnek 3-33-4-4; Monitor P.O. 25pd.

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ESTRAY, in my pasture, One Sorrel Gelding, about 3 years old. No visible brand. 1 hind white foot and white strip in face. Owner can have same by apply through News Office.

26.27 p.d

St. Laurence Church MONITOR

Rev. W. S. Wickenden B. A.

At a congregational meeting held on June 24 it was decided that Divine Service in St. Laurence Church be held at 7.30 p.m. instead of at 11.30a.m.

The Rev. W. S. Wickenden will conduct Divine Service D.V Sunkay next July 10th.

Broadview 11 a.m.

Batte Church 3 p.m.

Monitor 7.30 pm

Sunday School in St Laurence Church at 11 a.m. Mr. H.W. Weed has been appointed Superintendent.

Choir Practice Fridays 8 p.m.

A regular meeting of the Board of Trade was held in the Hotel Rotunda on Monday evening last Considerable business was gone through.



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